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TO : Chief, Industrial Division

DATE: 1 August 1957

FROM : Chief, Consumer Industries Branch

SUBJECT: Monthly Report for July 1957

1. Accomplishmentsa. Projects Completed

25X1A9a (1) Comments for "Assessment of the UN Economic Commission for Europe (ECE) as an Intelligence Source" (00.1978) were prepared by [REDACTED] X

25X1A9a (2) "Net Domestic Availability of Textile Fabrics, Per Capita, USSR, 1913 and 1956" (ERA Project S-182) was completed by [REDACTED].

b. Status of Other Projects

25X1A9a (1) [REDACTED] continued work on "Price Trends in Consumer Expenditures in the USSR" (30.1534).

25X1A9a (2) [REDACTED] continued work on "Expenditures on Consumer Services in the USSR" (30.1771). Much of his time during July was spent in using sources in the Library of Congress.

25X1A9a (3) [REDACTED] continued work on "Synthetic Fibers and Fabrics in the USSR" (30.1911), the study that is being made in collaboration with M/CH.

25X1A9a (4) [REDACTED] is nearing completion of the revision of the domestic trade section of NIS 18 on Czechoslovakia (40.1791).

25X1A9a (5) [REDACTED] continued work on "The Housing Problem in the European Satellites" (38.1741). He has completed the Polish and Czechoslovakian sections of this ambitious project.

25X1A9a (6) [REDACTED] worked on the revision of the light industry section of NIS 14 on Poland (30.1518). During July they completed the work of bringing the Satellite estimate cards up to date.

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25X1A9a (7) [REDACTED] completed the changes suggested by the D/I review of the prospective RR, "Domestic Trade in Communist China" (38.1648).

25X1A9a (8) [REDACTED] continued work on "Industrial Capital Investment in Communist China" (30.1535).

2. Training

None

3. Trips and Speeches

None

4. Administration

25X1A9a a. [REDACTED] Acting Chief, I/CI, was designated Chief, effective 23 July. ✕

25X1A9a b. [REDACTED] served as Acting Chief 25 June to 12 July
25X1A9a while [REDACTED] was on vacation.

25X1A9a c. [REDACTED] GS-7 analyst in the European Satellites section, resigned from the Agency to accept employment with IBM, effective 26 July. ✕

25X1A9a d. [REDACTED] was promoted to GS-11, effective 30 June.

25X1A9a e. [REDACTED] was promoted to GS-9, effective 16 June.

25X1A9a f. [REDACTED] was promoted to GS-4, effective 16 June.

5. Plans

Nothing new to report.

6. Problems

Nothing to report.

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